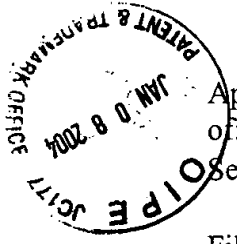


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Application of:	Matthew PALMER et al.	Confirmation No.:	5164
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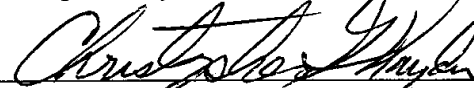
It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated be extended for a period of three (3) months from October 8, 2003 up to and including January 8, 2004.

The fee for this extension is \$950.00. Please charge the required fee to Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0310. A copy of this authorization is attached for the Finance Branch.

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